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**RE:** App. Serial No. 10/071,280

On accordance with our telecon discussion of today, it is my understanding that this fax verifies that my client accepts your restriction and elects the first group, claims 1-5, for first prosecution.